

BIO-DATA

1. Name : **Anuradha Koirala**
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4. Religion : Hindu
5. Date of birth : 14 April 1949
6. Educational Qualification : Graduation, Bachelor of Arts(BA)
7. Nationality : Nepali
8. Marital Status : Married
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11. Past affiliation : Founder of Maiti Nepal, a social organisation dedicated to the rights and welfare of children and women who are abused, exploited, infected with HIV/AIDS or abandoned. It operates prevention homes in areas where girls are at serious risk of being trafficked; operates transit homes and rehabilitation homes for survivors of trafficking — provides counselling, vocational training, health care education and non-formal education. Implementing the principle of participation, Maiti Nepal engages survivors as peer counsellors and border surveillance monitors in its trafficking prevention activities.
- Maiti Nepal's special focus is on prevention of trafficking for forced prostitution, rescuing flesh trade victims and rehabilitating them. It also works to seek justice for the victimised girls and women by engaging in criminal investigation and waging legal cases against the criminals. Maiti Nepal endeavours to highlight trafficking issue with its strong advocacy from the local to national and international levels.

: Honourable Assistant Minister for Women, Children and Social Welfare, Government of Nepal

: Worked as a teacher for two years

12. Present affiliation : Hon. Governor of Province 3, Nepal

13. Awards/ Achievements :

	Year Awarded	Award
1	2018	Human Rights Icon, Awarded by Global Order of Dignitaries
2.	2017	Padma Shri Awarded by the Government of India It is the fourth highest civilian award in the Republic of India.
3.	2016	Child 10 Award A Swedish honour rewarded for bold and innovative work with families and communities to prevent acts of violence against children.
4.	2014	Awarded " Mother Teresa Memorial International Award for Social Justice-2014" by Harmony Foundation, India
5.	2011	Award from Ministry of children women and social welfare, Nepal Government. To honour her activism in creating awareness against human trafficking and to her dedicated efforts in the work of rescuing and repatriating trafficked victims.
6.	2011	Manhae Award A prestigious award bestowed by "The Society for the Promotion and Practice of Manhae's Thoughts" for her selfless dedication, sacrifices and ceaseless fight for the liberty and peace of Nepali women.
7.	2010	CNN Hero of the year 2010 A prestigious award presented by CNN under " protecting the powerless " category for her relentless contribution in the campaign against human trafficking.
8.	2010	Global Peace Governor Awarded by The Global peace festival foundation for exemplifying the principle of living for others, for working selflessly for the noble cause of building World Peace through personal sacrifice, and outstanding leadership toward realising the vision of one family under God.
9.	2010	Shinning World Compassion Award Awarded by Supreme Master Ching Hai International Association in recognition of protecting women in need and extending motherly

		strength in providing a safe home
10.	2010	Virag Social Service Award Awarded by Virag Foundation, Kathmandu for her groundbreaking work in fighting human trafficking.
11.	2010	"National Ideal Mother Award 2066" by Shishu Sewa Samittee for dedicating entire life in services of orphans and unprivileged children and being a true mother of neglected children.
12.	2009	Outstanding Management Award 2008 Awarded by Management Association of Nepal.
13.	2008	The United Nations Women's Organisation Nepal certificate of appreciation
14.	2007	German UNIFEM Prize 2007 Germany
15.	2007	Queen Sofia Silver Medal Spain
16.	2006	The Peace Abbey, Courage of Conscience Sherborne, MA, USA
17.	2006	Best Social Entrepreneur Awarded by BOSS for the year 2004-05
18.	2005	Eurasia Reiyukai Award Awarded by Reiyukai for outstanding contribution in the field of social welfare.
19.	2005	Ambassador for Peace Awarded by Inter religious and International Federation for World Peace and Inter religious International Peace Council
20.	2005	Sangeet Sadhana Samaan Awarded by Sangeet Sadhana for continuous struggle towards empowerment of children and women.
21.	2005	Voted for the second time as one of the Most Influential Women of Nepal by Boss Reader's choice.
22.	2005	Rastriya Nari Samaan Imparted by Shanti Bikash Abhiyan, Nepal for outstanding work for nation building process.
23.	2004	Voted as one of the Most Influential Women of Nepal by Boss Reader's choice.
24.	2004	Honoured by Vaidya's Organisation of Industries in recognition of contribution in the social development field
25.	2003	Green Honour Award Conferred by Save the environment for exemplary work done in field of social work
26.	2003	Only women member of first Government team to hold talks with CPN(Maoists)
27.	2002	Birendra Aiswarya Padak awarded by His Majesty King Gyanendra Bir Bikram Shah Dev . This award is created in the memory of Late King Birendra and Late Queen Aishwarya.
28.	2002	Trishaktipatta to Ms. Anuradha Koirala Awarded by His Majesty King Gyanendra Bir Bikram Shah Dev
29.	2001	Felicitation 2001 Bestowed by Vision Nepal
30.	2000	Best Social Worker – Nepal Awarded by Women's Association

31.	2000	Felicitations 2000 Awarded by Everest Foundation Nepal
32.	1999-2000 (2056 BE)	Prabal Gorkha Dakshin Bahu Medal, Nepal Awarded by His Majesty King Birendra Bir Bikram Shah Dev for distinguished service
33.	1999	Distinguished Social Worker - Nepal Awarded by Mahila Pratibha Sangha, Nepal
34.	1999	Distinguished Social Worker – Nepal Awarded by Film Actors Association, Kathmandu
35.	1998-99 (2055 BE)	Best Social Worker Of The Year Award – Nepal Awarded by the Social Welfare Council, His Majesty's Government of Nepal.
36.	1998	100 Heroines Award – USA "In recognition of her courageous acts and lifetime achievement furthering the cause of women's rights, freedom, health and equal opportunity, and for serving as a role model for women and girls around the world."
37.	1997-98 (2054 B.E)	Noted Social Worker Award – Nepal Awarded by Prime Minister of Nepal
38.	1997-98 (2054 B.E)	Distinguished Social Worker Award – Nepal Awarded by Rastriya Bikas Tatha Samman Kendra, Kathmandu.

14. Some of the major Conferences Ms. Anuradha Koirala participated in:

Year	Conference
2011	Asia Pacific Rule of Law Conference January 2011, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
2008	The Global Initiative to fight Human Trafficking; Vienna Forum to Fight Human Trafficking, Vienna, Austria
2006	16 International AIDS Conference, Toronto, Canada
2005	<u>7th International Congress on AIDS in Asia and the Pacific (7th ICAAP)</u> Kobe, Japan July 2005.
2003	Path breaking strategies in Global Fight against Sex Trafficking Washington D.C, USA, Feb 2003
2002	XIV International AIDS conference 2002 in Barcelona Spain
2001	6th International Congress on AIDS in Asia and Pacific, Melbourne, Australia
2001	2nd World Congress of against Commercial sexual Exploitation of Children, Yokohama, Japan
2001	Panellist in Oprah Winfrey show, United States
2000	Women's World Forum Against Violence, Valencia, Spain
2000	World Women's Conference Beijing + 5 - New York, USA
2000	South Asia Regional Consultation on Prevention of Trafficking in Women and Children –New Delhi, India
2000	Regional Co-operation Meeting, Action against Trafficking & Sexual Exploitation of Children (ATSEC) – Dhaka, Bangladesh
2000	Rights of the Girl-Child: Review of the Decade of Programming – Kathmandu, Nepal
1999	Fifth International Conference on AIDS in Asia and the Pacific – Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia
1999	South-Asia Dialogue on Trafficking in Women & Children Towards the Adoption of the SAARC Convention – Colombo, Sri Lanka
1999	First Meeting of the NGO Planning Committee for the UN World Conference against Racism, Racial Discrimination, Xenophobia and Related Intolerance – Geneva, Switzerland

- 1998** Participated in the 50th Anniversary celebrations of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights at the invitation of the French Government – Paris, France
- 1997** Girl's Rights: Society's Responsibility – Taking Action against Sexual Exploitation & Trafficking - Mumbai India
- 1996** World Women Conference - Beijing, PRC
- 1996** World Congress on Commercial Sexual Exploitation of Children - Stockholm, Sweden